## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re the Application of:    |  | Confirmation No.: 9116 |
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| Robert J. Garabedian, et al. |  | Group Art Unit: 3739   |
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| Т                            | ABLATION PROBE WITH EMPERATURE SENSITIVE ELECTRODE ARRAY |                        |
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## Mail Stop Amendment

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## TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Response (11 pages) in reply to the Office Action, mailed December 27, 2005, for the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted.

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